



Town of Dumfries  
Council Meeting

Meeting Date:

July 23 2013

Agenda Item#

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AGENDA ITEM FORM

**TYPE OF AGENDA ITEM:**

- ☐ CONSENT AGENDA  
☐ PRESENTATION  
☐ ACTION ITEM  
☐ TOWN MANAGER & STAFF COMMENTS  
☐ PUBLIC HEARING  
☐ Duly Advertised

**PURPOSE OF ITEM:**

- ☐ INFORMATION ONLY  
☐ DISCUSSION ONLY  
☒ DISCUSSION AND/OR DECISION  
☐ Introduction ☐ Resolution  
☐ Ordinance ☐ Grant/MOU  
☐ By Motion ☐ Bylaws  
☐ Certificate

**PRESENTER:** Richard West

**PRESENTER TITLE:** Director of Public Works

**AGENDA ITEM:** Update on Multimodal Project (sidewalks)

**BACKGROUND / SUMMARY:**

On July 9 2013, The Berkley Group, the Town's on-call consultant, submitted a report entitled Route 1-Fraleley Boulevard Pedestrian Study, Town of Dumfries, Virginia. The study focused on providing a temporary pedestrian facility on the east side of Fraley Boulevard between Graham Park Road and Possum Point Road. The report ensued from a site meeting on June 5 2013 with Town staff, The Berkley Group and VDOT.

Four alternatives were addressed in the report: two routes parallel Fraley Boulevard, one route incorporates Williamstown Drive and then follows the power line right of way, crosses Quantico Creek, and proceeds on Canal Road; the fourth route is similar to the third alternative, using a pedestrian extension of Old Triangle Road to cross Quantico Creek and then proceed along Canal Road.

Cost estimates range from \$387,480 to \$1,177,100. The consultant recommends, and we concur, Alternative 1A, which utilizes the Fraley Boulevard alignment crossing Quantico Creek using the Route 1 bridge. This is the least expensive alternative and utilizes walking paths already established by persons walking from Graham Park Road northward. This alternative will require some study from VDOT to see if the bridge is able to support the addition of a walkway, either appended to the side of the bridge, or created by narrowing the width of the two automobile lanes across the bridge.

The report is available for anyone who wishes to review it.

**ATTACHMENTS:** None

**REQUESTED ACTION:**

☐ NO ACTION REQUESTED

DPW requests authorization to proceed with the consultant and VDOT with Alternative 1A or Alternative 1

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